

Anglo-French Reinforcements Join Italians

RUSSIA WILL STICK SAYS LANSING IN DENOUNCING POST

Kerensky's Statement Was Garbled and Misinterpreted State Department Declares

MISLEADING HEADLINES CAUSED FLURRY

Russian Ambassador Says Best Answer is That 147 German Divisions Are Now Held On Eastern Front

(International News Service.)

Washington, Nov. 2.—"Any statement that Russia has quit the war is most unwarranted," declared Secretary Lansing today. This statement was called out by a headline in a Washington newspaper, "Russia Quits War," an assertion which the secretary branded "almost criminal," and not borne out by the statements in the story under the heading.

Later the secretary issued the following formal statement: "There has been absolutely nothing in the dispatches received from Russia, nor in information derived from any other source whatever, to justify the impression created by the Washington Post today by the headlines, 'Russia Quits War,' which is out of the conflict. A reading of the full interview with Kerensky, of which the paper published only an abbreviated and unaccounted, shows that the head is unwarranted. Reports from Petrograd that Premier Kerensky and his government, far from encouraging, are still animated by a strong determination to organize all Russian resources in a whole-hearted resistance to the war to a victorious completion. At the same time this government, like those of the allies, is rendering all possible assistance."

(International News Service.)

Washington, Nov. 2.—The provisional Russian government today drew a check for \$31,700,000 on credits previously put at her disposal by the United States.

(International News Service.)

Petrograd, Nov. 2.—The renewal of fighting activity on the southwestern front was reported today by the war department. Near the village of Popelary, German forces drove back Russian advance guards, but a Russian counter attack won back the position. Russian airmen have bombarded Tarnopol successfully.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Nov. 2.—Russia is not out of the war, nor has she any intention of quitting, it was stated here today, following publication of statements attributed to Premier Kerensky that Russia has the right to expect her allies to now shoulder the burden of the conflict.

Dr. Garfield Pets Miners Some More

Washington, Nov. 2.—Fuel Administrator Garfield today sought to smooth out slight differences which still exist between the miners and operators in the southwestern coal field. The committee representing the operators and miners went into conference with Dr. Garfield and submitted to him their penalty clauses as provided for under the president's order of Oct. 27. There were prospects for an early settlement.

**THAW IN COMMAND OF
LA FAYETTE ESCADRILLE.**
Paris, Nov. 2.—Lieut. William Thaw, of Pittsburgh, is now in command of the La Fayette escadrille, succeeding Captain Thenault, the French commander.

**THE MOST CARELESS
MAN IN THE WORLD
LIVES HEREABOUTS.**
"The most careless man in the world" has been located hereabouts. Wach yer tink he did? He walked aimlessly, it is presumed, perhaps unconsciously, into the Albany postoffice and deposited a very sizable flask, all leather bound and real first edition effect, on the small desk used by itinerant letter writers. It was carefully wrapped in brown paper bearing the imprint of a local firm. When discovered, the flask was behaving quite properly. The seal of silence was removed, and a strong aroma announced the contents of the bottle. Real red liquor! None of the measly stuff that masquerades under the name of "old corn." The flask and contents were turned over to Postmaster Alexander, who is now conducting a "still hunt" to ascertain the identity of "the most careless man in the world."

Conference to Discuss Great White Plague

Will Be Held at Chattanooga Early This Month. Turner Arranged Program.

Anti-tuberculosis leaders of the South will meet in a conference at Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. 9 and 10, to talk over plans for battling the white plague. There will be ten states represented in this conference. H. L. Turner, secretary of the local organization, was a member of a committee of fifty in arranging the program for this conference. Strong speakers have been secured, and those interested in this great work are urged to attend. Special posters telling of the conference have been mailed to the various citizens of Morgan county.

FRENCH ARE GUARDING THE WHEAT FIELDS OF MOROCCO



French field guns posted to protect the wheat fields of Morocco, and Commandant Jeangeraut, who is in charge of wheat and other supplies for the French army in Morocco.

THOUSANDS PAID BY LOCAL DEALERS AS WAR TAX ON PRESENT STOCKS

NEW REVENUE BILL REQUIRED REMITTANCES FROM WHOLESALESALE AND RETAILERS ON NOVEMBER 1 FOR GOODS ON HAND OCTOBER 3.

PRICES WILL BE LOWERED

WHOLESALESALE REQUIRED TO SELL ONLY ON BASIS OF THEIR COST PRICE, GIVING THE CONSUMER THE BENEFIT OF LATE ADVANCES.

Twin City wholesale and retail dealers in tobaccos, chewing gum, patent medicines and the various other small articles that come within the provisions of the new revenue laws of the United States, have mailed approximately \$5,000 to the national treasury within the last two days. The remittance was made in conformity with the law passed by the recent congress for the purpose of defraying part of the expense of the war.

J. H. Calvin Co., one of three wholesale grocery firms, stated today that they had paid out nearly \$1,000 in war taxes on the stocks held at their five houses. Mr. Calvin estimated that other dealers, including retailers who had stocks on hand as of October 3, paid out four times that amount. While the tax was not due until Nov. 1, it covered all stocks on hand October 3, which is the reason why the general public has embraced the idea that retailers advanced the price of many small articles prematurely.

Wholesalers Licensed.
At the same time that the local wholesalers forwarded their checks for the excess revenue tax, they sent along applications for license to operate under the provisions of the new food regulation bill. These license will be granted as a matter of course, and will be retained so long as the firms comply with the regulations imposed by the food administration. The regulations are stringent and the wholesalers claim are in a measure inequitable, in that they are not allowed to reap the benefits of good advance buying. Or in other words, the firms that bought tomatoes at \$1.00 per dozen, as some of them did, cannot sell at prevailing market prices. They can only attach a reasonable profit and sell on the basis of their cost price. They will, of course, as these stocks last and they can undersell. Thus will the price of foodstuffs be automatically lowered, according to the contention of the food administration.

No Bars on Retailers.
The food control bill, however, does not place any restrictions on the price that can be charged by retailers. The small retailers—all who do less than \$100,000 of business in a year—are put on their good behavior. (Continued on Page Four)

LIBERTY LOAN WORKERS THANKED FOR SERVICE

The Liberty Loan Executive Committee wishes to express to Mr. Clyde Hendrix, chairman Liberty Loan committee for Morgan county, and to each member of committees and individuals, working in the recent Liberty Loan campaign, its sincerest appreciation of their untiring efforts and co-operation.

Without such co-operation the campaign could not have proved the success which it has.

Yours very truly,

Liberty Loan Executive Com.
Sixth Federal Reserve District.
W. C. WARDLAW, chairman

Ivan E. Allen, J. Epps Brown, M. W. Bell, Jos. A. McCord, W. H. Toole, Henry W. Davis, Robert F. Maddox, St. Elmo Massengale, Fred J. Paxson, Mel R. Wilkerson.

To the various beat chairmen and other committees who assisted in this great work in Morgan county, I wish to add to the above my thanks and appreciation for their co-operation and effective work. I know of some instances where real sacrifices were made, but I am sure that none will ever regret any sacrifices made for this great cause.

Respectfully,
CLYDE HENDRIX,
Chairman.

NELSON APPOINTS FOUR DELEGATES TO RIVER MEET

At the regular session of the Decatur city council, held last night, Mayor James A. Nelson announced the appointment of a number of prominent Decatur business men as delegates to the Rivers and Harbors congress to be held at Washington, D. C., on December 5 and 6. The personnel of the delegation follows: John A. Thomason, Foster H. Pointer, W. E. Crawford and W. M. Bailey. The council held a short session and disposed of considerable routine business. Ed Thompson was elected a member of the city police force.

Religious Service at Hosiery Mill Today

President Hyde Expresses Himself as Well Pleased With New Industry. Rev. Chas. R. Hyde, president of the Nick-A-Jack and Decatur Hosiery Mills, leaves this afternoon for his home in Chattanooga after a two days' visit to the local mill. It has been the custom at the parent mill to have a fifteen-minute religious service every Friday noon, consisting of a prayer, a hymn and short talk. This Friday noon religious service was inaugurated at the Decatur mill, beginning today.

Mr. Hyde expresses himself as well pleased with the manner in which the new mill is getting under way and is advertising today for ten to twelve new employees.

ITALIANS TO HOLD THE HUN HORDES SAYS LOCAL MAN BORN IN VENICE

MARCHINI DECLARES THAT HIS PEOPLE ARE UNITED IN THEIR LOYALTY TO COUNTRY AND HATRED OF THE GERMANS.

NO CHANCE TO INVADE FRANCE

ROBBED OF THE FRUITS OF VICTORY BY BISMARCK, THE ITALIANS WILL DIE OR RECOVER THEIR LOST PROVINCES ON THE ADRIATIC.

The Italian lines will hold. This is the reassuring declaration of R. A. Marchini, well known Decatur tailor, born and reared at Venice, within 50 miles of where Von Mackensen's legions are now battling with the forces of General Cardona. Mr. Marchini knows the Italian people, their courage, their hatred of the Austrians and their determination to win back their lost provinces. He also knows every foot of the ground that is being daily soaked with the blood of thousands of men. He knows the Alps and their passes. And knowing all this first hand, he today made the prediction that the Hun hordes would be turned back and that Italy would fight on until the world is safe for democracy.

"The people of America—all of them—do not know the Italian character and the Italian feeling," he said with emphasis. "There is a belief over here that Italy, like Russia, may be honey-combed with socialistic traitors; that it may have a certain sympathy for the central powers because of its former membership in the Triple Alliance. This is all a mistake—a big mistake. Italy stands like one man with the allies. It hates the Austrians as it would a rattlesnake. It is burning with revenge against Germany, which through Bismarck betrayed the nation and wrested from it the fruits of its hard won victory over Austria. That war closed in 1866, not such a long time since, and Italy remembers. There are anarchists in Italy as in America, but they are not a potent force. The socialists are in the army, fighting for the land they love, just as the German socialists are in the German army. All that Italy needs is more guns and more food and fuel. It will fight better with these, but it will win without them."

After Sub Bases.

Then Mr. Marchini explained the purpose of the Italian drive that was checked by the sudden advance of the re-inforced Austro-Hungarian army. "Our real objective was not Vienna, but Laibach, a railway center, from which we could have advanced to the Gulf of Trieste and destroyed the Austrian submarine bases. Our lost provinces, with 60 per cent of their population Italian-speaking people, that line the shores of the Adriatic Sea, would have been re-claimed. These provinces are to Italy what Alsace-Lorraine are to France. The (Continued on Page 4.)

CADORNA TO STAND ON TAGLIAMENTO OR PLAVO RIVERS

Two Plans of Battle Are Being Entertained by Commander of the Allied Forces

ITALIAN TROOPS ARE IN GOOD CONDITION

Personnel and Morale of Retreating Armies Found Much Better Than Was Expected

(International News Service.)

London, Nov. 2.—Anglo-French reinforcements have arrived at the Italian front, according to official information reaching here today. They have joined Gen. Cadorna's second and third armies on the new battlefront, probably along the Tagliamento river, where it is believed that the most decisive battle in the history of the war is soon to be fought. Official information says that the welcomed troops found that the personnel and material of the retreating forces was in much better condition than had been expected.

Officials here believe that Gen. Cadorna is entertaining two plans for battle—one along the Tagliamento river and the other on the Plavo river. Military authorities here say the reported losses of the Italians, mentioned only in official statements issued only from Berlin, are causing little apprehension. They point out that the Italian army, boasting of more than 3,000,000, can stand a loss of 180,000 men.

The eyes of the entire civilized world are now on the Fourri plains, where the combined forces of Von Buelow and Mackensen are soon to clash with the Italian-Anglo-French forces.

(International News Service.)

London, Nov. 2.—The British have improved their positions south and west of Pass Chendaele and southeast of Poelcapelle as the result of minor operations, the war office announced today.

(International News Service.)

Rome, Nov. 2.—King Victor and Premier Orlando are making a personal inspection of the Italian front, it was announced here today.

The presence of the ruler and the premier at the front is believed to forecast the beginning of the mighty battle that is expected along the Tagliamento. All reports from the front today indicate that Gen. Cadorna is ready to make his stand.

(International News Service.)

London, Nov. 2.—Further successes for the British troops operating in Palestine, were announced by the war office today.

Von Hertling Takes Chancellor's Berth

(International News Service.)
Amsterdam, Nov. 2.—Count Von Hertling has accepted the post of chancellor, according to advices from Berlin today. He has also been made premier of Prussia, it was stated. Coincident with the announcement, word was received that Dr. Karl Helfferich has resigned as vice chancellor and minister of the interior, and that Herr Von Keyer is expected to become vice chancellor. Herr Von Waldo, food dictator, has also resigned.

Congressmen Leave Britain For France

(International News Service.)
London, Nov. 2.—The American congressmen who are here to see the war have left for France, where they plan to visit the British front, and also the American soldiers now in training in the trenches and in the training camp.

Professors Charged With Disloyalty

Champaign, Ill., Nov. 2.—The University of Illinois is in a turmoil here today following charges by W. H. Kerrick, an agent of the department of justice, that a small group of professors and instructors at the University are disloyal, and a sweeping investigation probably will be ordered. Kerrick declared that unless the pedagogues charged are dismissed, he will ask the government to take action against them.

4,000,000 Women Sign Food Pledge

(International News Service.)
Washington, Nov. 2.—Over 4,000,000 women throughout the United States have signed the food pledge cards distributed by the food administration. It was announced today. These reports are with the exclusion of eight states which have not been heard from.

STEAMER AGROUND. (International News Service.)

Seattle, Nov. 2.—The steamship Alkali, bound to Seattle from Juneau, is aground on Point Chicagoff, according to word reaching the Merchants' Exchange here today. The vessel sent out wireless calls of distress. There are 34 passengers aboard.

STEAMER, JAMMED ON ROCKS, TO BE FLOATED.

Los Angeles, Nov. 2.—The steamship Governor, which jammed on the rocks off San Pedro breakwater late last night, will be floated at high tide this morning, according to the opinion of the officers of the vessel. Three hundred men, women and children have been taken from the vessel in safety.

Little Frances Lamon Is Burned To Death At Trinity

Little Frances Lamon, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lamon, residing about 2 1/2 miles south of Trinity, was burned to death at her home Thursday. The child's nothing is thought to have ignited while she and her little brother were playing around the stove, in which they were placing splinters. The little girl was horribly burned and blistered from her knees to her neck. She suffered excruciating agony and died about three hours after the accident occurred.

Funeral services were conducted from the residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Rev. J. Pettit Ezell, of Albany, officiating.

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WASHINGTON GOES DRY IN HALF HEARTED WAY.

That marvel of marvels has come to pass. The city of Washington, capital of the greatest nation in the world, is without saloons. Under the provisions of the Sheppard "Dry District of Columbia bill," the grog shops that once did a flourishing business with men distinguished in national and international life, places that received the patronage of even an occasional president, closed their doors on November 1. These doors are to stay closed, perhaps, for all time, as the prohibition wave that has swept the country made its influence felt so strongly even in the seat of the high that lawmakers could no longer avoid taking some of the excellent medicine that they had prescribed for their constituents.

In reality, however, Washington is not troubled with aridity. It is only the drink emporiums that have been banned. A careful and thoughtful congress passed no law prohibiting the drinking or the importation of intoxicating beverages into the District of Columbia, and men with a thirst and the price are left in absolute command of whatever amount of the fiery fluid or the flowing suds that they care to consume. Only drinking in public places is in violation of law.

To have absolutely banished liquor from Washington would have been to affront foreign diplomats who know of no other potion that expresses an equal amount of hospitality, the brewers and distillers, argued, and the contention seems to have carried so much weight that even the Anti-Saloon League did not have the heart to impose upon the national capital that same brand of "bone dry" that it applied to Alabama and some nearly half a hundred other states. Thus did the lawmakers find a loophole for legislating for others that which they did not want for themselves.

VICIOUS RUMORS FROM IRRESPONSIBLE SOURCES.

By this time the public should be educated to the fact that reliable news is to be obtained only from the newspapers. Many times during recent months have wild rumors flooded the streets—rumors intended primarily to affect certain markets—and just as many times there have been persons so careless as to give them credence. From the alleged assassination of the Kaiser to the gross libel that Joseph Tumulty, secretary to the president, had been arrested as a German spy, these unvarnished whispermongers, with no one to back them, have sent the markets up and down at the will of some unscrupulous manipulator. Fortunes may have been made and lost as the wires hurried along their lying messages that were no respecters of reputations or characters. Who is responsible? No one. These are merely "rumors," spontaneous outcroppings of polluted imaginations. They are sent as such, although the sender may know that they will often be accepted as fact.

The newspaper, despite the censor and the handicaps that are imposed by military exigencies, still stands as the only reliable source of news. The ethics of the profession, the pride of the reporters who have been taught but two things—to get the facts first and get them straight—are the certain guarantees that the public confidence is not to be abused. Back of this is financial responsibility and a moral obligation to the public.

Telegraph messages, too, must pay their little nickel war tax.

The average German invasion is a mild affair compared with the activities of the Halloween ruffian.

Sportsmen are warned that two ducks have often been found light.

Here's hoping that the open season has not begun in Italy.

HARKREADER AND AYERS IN THE LIMELIGHT.

Albany, congratulations! Now that you are to begin manufacturing your own silk, it is up to our distinguished friend, Editor Harkreader, of Albany-Decatur Daily, to show Col. Harry Ayers, the brilliant editor, presiding over the enlightening pages of the Anniston Star, how to lay down the drudgery and monotony of bachelorhood. The press throughout the state echoes "Yes!"—Huntsville Daily Times.

The dog, "man's faithful friend," the subject of many an eulogy, is about the greatest enemy to food conservation extant. Good old Fido, besides having an overweening appetite for culinary triumphs, is also fond of a live sheep, and annually makes large inroads on the mutton supply. Just how many million dogs are being fed in the United States while our allies are going hungry is a problem that is turned over to the statisticians. Just what should be done with this surplus canine population is a problem that is submitted to Herbert C. Hoover.

The Daily is not prepared to admit that Germany has captured 130,000 Italian prisoners.

But even if it has, something more substantial than hope is required to feed a prisoner and these men will eat on the side of the allies whether they fight or not.

Washington still falls far short of being as dry as the Congressional Record.

Neither Kansas nor Cleveland can claim credit for the three-cent letter fare.

Watch the Italians get up steam when that American coal arrives.

Low Ebb Reached by Slumping Stocks

(International News Service.) New York, Nov. 2.—Leading standard representative stocks listed in the stock exchange are today with few exceptions at their lowest values of the present war. Since January 1 the speculative value of America's greatest steel and industrial enterprises and its railroads have dropped an average of 35 points and in some instances as much as 60 points.

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METHODISTS STAND BEHIND PRESIDENT

CONFERENCE ADOPTS PATRIOTIC RESOLUTION AND RAISES FUND OF \$3,500.

(International News Service.) Birmingham, Nov. 2.—A patriotic outburst shook the Friday morning session of the North Alabama conference of the Methodist church, when the Rev. E. M. Glenn offered a resolution in support of the president in the conduct of the war. The vote favoring it was by acclamation. Bishop Denny did not reprove the delegates for their demonstration.

The bishop suggested that the conference raise \$2,500 and send a representative of the congress to Camp McClellan to help the work there. At this a number of men in all parts of the audience arose and declared their intention to donate to the fund, many of them saying they had sons in the national army. A total of \$3,500 was raised in less than 10 minutes, and Bishop Denny stated that he would appoint a minister to fill the new post.

At yesterday's session the bishop called question 6, "Who are received by transfer from other conferences?" J. W. Syler was received from the Tennessee conference in deacon's orders.

Question 8 was called, "Who are received from other churches as traveling preachers?" Under this call Walter Carlton from Jasper district, and H. P. Whittle from Talladega district, ministers from the Missionary Baptist church, were received in elder's orders.

Question 1 was called, "Who are admitted on trial?" Answer—John W. Archer, Albertville district; Lovie Pierce Thornberg and James M. Holland, Bessemer district; Berry M. Bowen, Gadsden district; Alex Stevens Osborn and John S. Rice, Haleyville district; Robert F. Curl and Lemuel J. Kaylor and Charles E. Kaylor, Rosnoke district; Charles L.

Ellis, Tuscaloosa district, having stood approved examination before the required committees, were admitted on trial in the traveling connection.

Info Full Connection.

Question 4—"Who are admitted into full connection?" Under this question, the bishop called to the chancel the class of the second year, and having met all the requirements, they were admitted into full connection.

Bishop Denny's address to this class previous to the vote of admission was a concise statement and impressive enforcement of the fundamentals underlying the office and work and engagements of a Methodist minister. Following is the class admitted: Lonnie G. Alverson, Jesse A. Clark, Jas. P. Dunn, Lonnie L. Jones, Thomas B. Jordan, Jesse D. Kaylor, William L. Morris, Plennie C. Oliver, Baylies M. Porter, Rev. G. Pugh, Marion L. Smith, Elijah Upton, Robert C. Wilson, William Graham Echols.

E. M. Glenn brought the following paper:

"Whereas, Certain laymen from various sections have sent forth an 'address,' seeking certain legislation, therefore

"Resolved, (1) That this conference will not be averse to an increase of lay representatives in the annual conference, provided it does not make such increase greater than eight delegates from a district.

"(2) That the sections of the 'address' dealing with other issues do not commend themselves to our judgment as wise and are therefore to be opposed.

"E. M. GLENN,
"J. W. JOHNSON,
"ROBT. ECHOLS,
"GEO. E. BOYD,
"L. F. STANSELL,
"J. S. GLASGOW,
"L. C. BRANSCOMB,
"T. C. BANKS,
"J. I. WILLIAMS."

This paper is called out by reason of the "movement" started by certain lay influences, looking to bringing decidedly radical revision of laws of the church, particularly affecting the episcopacy, and was designed to be an expression of the mind of the conference touching the matter. There was some opposition to the resolution, but the conference by overwhelming vote adopted the resolution.

Election of Delegates.
Delegates to the general conference were appointed as follows:
Clerk, L. W. Young, S. O. Kimbrough, M. E. Wilson, D. C. McNutt, with G. F. Cooper and T. L. McDonald as secretaries. Lay tellers: R. L. Lovelady, J. R. White, E. J. Gar-

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STANLEY GREEN, HOSTESSES.

A joyful event of the week was the

bridge party given Thursday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. B. S. Barry by Mrs. Stanley Green and Mrs. Herbert Odom. The Halloween colors prevailed throughout the rooms, expressed in festoons of black and yellow paper. Each light was hooded in yellow paper, and vases of yellow chrysanthemums were everywhere. In the game that was played at ten tables, Mrs. L. Bullard made top score and was awarded a cut glass perfume bottle. The consolation was cut by Mrs. T. H. Alexander, who was awarded a dozen handsome yellow chrysanthemums. Afterwards a delicious salad course was served. Those playing were Mesdames P. Hunt, B. P. Wallace, J. H. Calvin, J. W. Troy, R. E. Pearson, G. McDuff, Arthur Jones, Joe J. Bradley, Jr., D. Echols, W. H. Driskill, J. C. Happer, C. B. Elliott, W. R. Smith, H. T. Giff, Chas. Eyster, E. N. Penick, L. Bullard, L. K. Wiggins, E. Calvin, J. W. Cunningham, H. A. King, R. Harwood, H. B. Zeltler, T. H. Alexander, E. P. Lide, Eugene Morrow, J. W. Jones, R. Green, S. Malone, Phil Pointer, William Watson, A. T. LeFils, Julian Bibb, Misses Brooxie Gibson, Mary Penick, Janie Morrow, Evelyn Johnson.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

The Benevolent Society will meet Wednesday, November 7, at the Morgan County National Bank. Immediately following there will be a meeting of the trustees.

MRS. J. H. CALVIN, Sec'y.

MUSIC STUDY CHORUS.

The Chorus of the Music Study club, is requested to meet promptly at 3 o'clock with Mrs. W. R. Shelton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bethany and little daughter, Mary Sue, have gone to Palm Beach, Fla., where they will reside in the future.

Mrs. Herman Mason and son, of Athens, are the guests of Mrs. S. O. Nelson.

Mrs. Wilson Gilliam has returned from a visit to friends in Tennessee.

Mrs. Robert Burr, of Lawrence county, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. L. Wood.

Miss Susie Whyte is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wheatly Davis, at Birmingham.

Miss Ethyl Corbise and Miss Ruby Stewart, of Hartselle, are the attractive guests for the week-end of Mrs. R. M. McGlathery.

Mrs. Richard Harwell, of Pulaski, is the guest of Mrs. Stanley Green.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stead have returned from Birmingham, where they attended the production of the "Garden of Allah."

Mrs. M. C. Bullard is confined to her bed today, suffering a sprain.

Mrs. Phillip Gilchrist left today for Mississippi, to assist Mr. Gilchrist in winding up his business, that he may locate in Albany.

Manager Fred to Wed at Chattanooga

T. Walter Fred, general manager of the Decatur Hosiery Mill, will be married on Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock to Miss Willie Davenport, of Chattanooga, in that city.

After the ceremony the happy couple will leave for a bridal tour of two or three weeks, taking in New York City and a visit to the groom's parents in Virginia.

On his return the management will set aside a day for the formal opening of the mill, to which the public will be invited.

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PERSONALS

Lieut. Curtis Almon, U. S. A., is the guest of his parents, Solicitor and Mrs. D. C. Almon, and will return on Saturday night to Camp Upton, New York, where he is at present stationed.

W. P. Sneed left last night to visit his son, Leonard, who is attending the University of Chattanooga.

Dr. J. F. Scott, of Clinton, N. Y., arrived here yesterday.

T. J. Jones, who has been in a Birmingham infirmary for treatment for injuries due to a fall that he recently received, has returned home and is much improved in health.

AMUSEMENTS**MASONIC THEATRE.**

Tonight will see another change of program at the Masonic theatre. "Sweethearts," a blackface musical tab will be the offering. This is a rip-roaring good, clean comedy, full of good singing and dancing.

The Bonita Quartet will be heard in new harmony songs, while each member of the company will be seen and heard to the best advantage in their respective parts. The chorus, six pretty girls, will be seen in new dances and classy costumes. Ludlow Allen and Jack Russell will hold down the comedy end of this bill, while Miss Kenna and Trix Deadrick will be the "Sweethearts." Those who especially care for good blackface should not miss this show. A matinee will be given tomorrow at 3 o'clock, when another change of program will be in effect.

Decatur High to Play Here Tomorrow

School spirit is rampant among the students of Decatur High, who will turn out en masse tomorrow afternoon to root for the home team when it meets the Tusculum eleven on the Y. M. C. A. field. Although 20 pounds shy to the man, the Decatur players hope to make a favorable showing, and are working hard for the impending fray.

Southern Railway Train is Annulled

Southern railway passenger train No. 25, due at Decatur at 2:50 o'clock this morning, was marked up later and later and finally annulled, and will be run as a second division of a later train, due here this afternoon.

No Speculations in Cotton Seed Products

(International News Service.) Washington, Nov. 2.—Speculation and hoarding in cotton seed and cotton seed products will be checked, Food Administrator Hoover announced today, under regulations to be issued tomorrow governing ginners, seed buyers, crushers and refiners, who are being placed under license.

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S. S. INSTITUTE HELD NEXT WEEK

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A Presbyterian Sunday School Institute will be held Monday and Tuesday of next week at the First Presbyterian church at Decatur. Many instructive and entertaining speakers appear on the program, which was announced today by Rev. W. N. Sholl, pastor of the church, as follows:

Monday Afternoon.

- 3:30—Devotional—Rev. Geo. A. Grille, of Madison.
- 3:40—Our Standard of Efficiency—Rev. G. F. Bell, of Florence.
- 4:00—Discussion.
- 4:30—The Organized Adult Class—Mrs. J. E. Blair, of Albany.
- 4:50—Discussion.
- 5:00—Adjournment.

Monday Evening.

- 7:30—Devotional—Rev. W. F. Trump, of Tusculum.
- 7:45—The Value of Memorizing—J. I. Riddle, of Cullman.
- 8:00—Are the Catechisms Worth While?—Dr. F. W. Lewis, of Courtland.
- 8:15—The What and the How of a Graded Curriculum of Memory Work—Rev. O. F. Bell, of Florence.
- 8:45—Discussion.
- 9:00—Adjournment.
- Tuesday Morning.**
- 8:45—Devotional—Dr. F. W. Lewis, of Courtland.
- 9:00—Elements of Success in Sunday School Atmosphere—Rev. R. E. Fry, of Gadsden.
- 9:25—Discussion.
- 9:40—Characteristics of Childhood and How to Deal With Them—Mrs. May McCown, of Huntsville.
- 10:10—Discussion.
- 10:20—The Art of Questioning—Rev. G. F. Bell, of Florence.
- 10:40—Discussion.
- 11:00—The Importance and Value of a Teacher Training Class—Mrs. Luke Pryor, of Belle Mina.
- 11:15—Discussion.
- 11:30—Final Adjournment.

DEATH.

Mrs. Amanda Herbert died on Saturday, Oct. 27, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Daniel, 1111 Fifth avenue, south, and was buried at Liberty church the 28th. Mrs. Herbert had been in bad health for a number of years. She was a member of the M. E. church, south. She had reached the age of 76 years. Beside Mrs. Daniel, she left one son, R. W. Herbert, and two brothers, J. R. Vaughan, of Moulton, who was at her bedside, and John Vaughan, of Birmingham, and a number of grandchildren.

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Chicago is Facing Gas Famine, Too

(International News Service.) Chicago, Nov. 2.—Besides the coal famine, milk famine and penny famine, Chicago is now facing a gas famine, according to a letter sent to Mayor Thompson by the directors of the Peoples' Gas, Light & Coke Co. They declare that unless government authority is invoked to provide the company with an adequate amount of coke, the 700,000 patrons will be without gas for cooking, lighting and heating.

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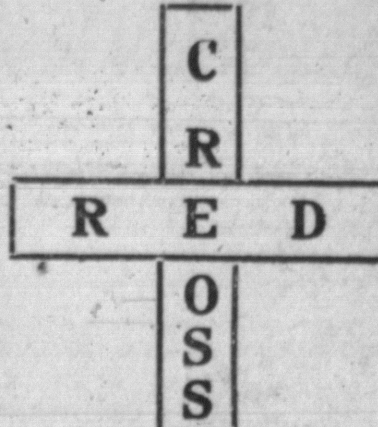
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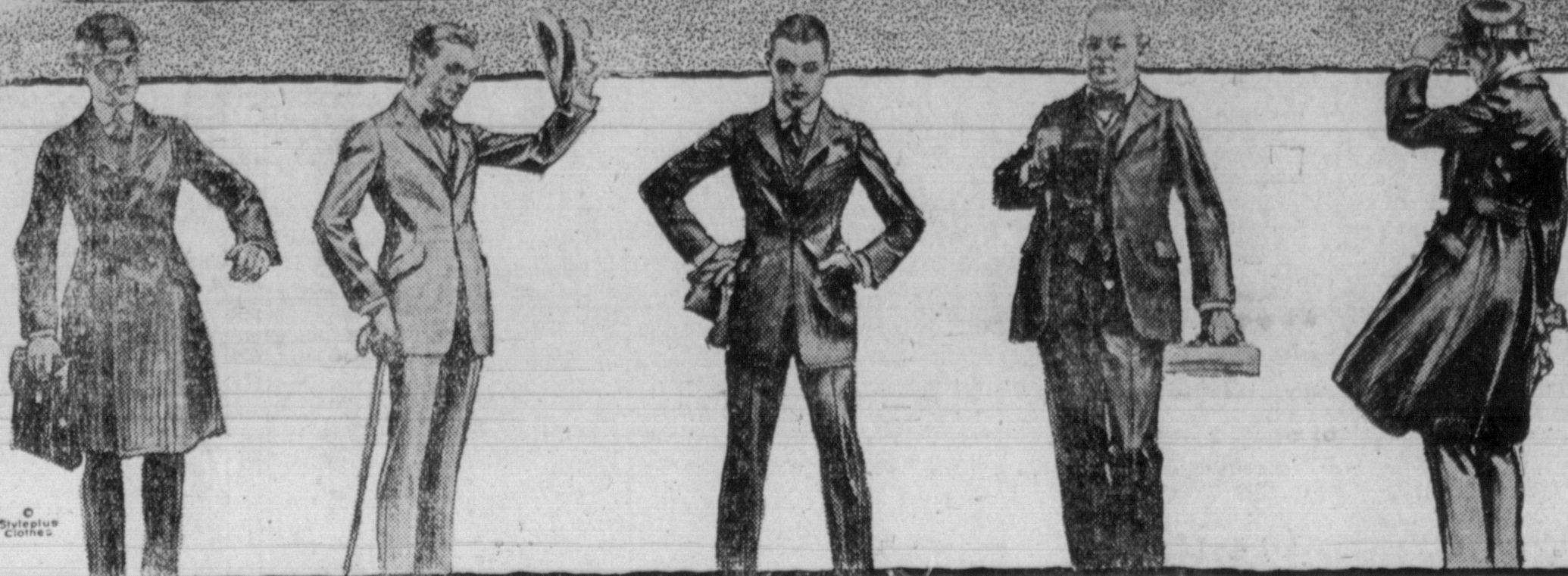


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SIR ERIC GEDDES ANNOUNCES IN
PARLIAMENT THAT SUBMA-
RINE MENACE IS BEING
CURED.

London, Nov. 2.—Sir Eric Geddes, who recently succeeded Sir Edward Carson as first lord of the admiralty, made his first address in parliament Thursday, and gave some interesting and anxiously-awaited figures on the work of the navy and shipping in general.

His declaration that between forty and fifty per cent of the German submarines operating in the North Sea, the Atlantic and the Arctic oceans had been sunk, was not the least interesting of his announcements, and there was an indication of the unceasing war the British and American patrols were making on the submarine in his statement that during the last quarter the enemy had lost as many submarines as during the whole of 1916.

He said:
"The general situation regarding submarine warfare can be best demonstrated by the following figures:

Since the beginning of the war, between forty and fifty per cent of the German submarines operating in the North Sea, the Atlantic and the Arctic oceans have been sunk. During the last quarter the enemy has lost as many submarines as during the whole of 1916.

"As regards the sinkings of British merchant tonnage by submarines, the German official figures for August are 808,000 tons of all nationalities. They sank a little more than one-third of that amount of British tonnage and a little more than half of all nationalities.

"For September their official figures are 679,000 tons. They sank far less than one-third of that amount of British tonnage and less than one-half of that amount of all nationalities.

In September, Sir Eric continued, there was afloat on the high seas an increase of 20 per cent in numbers and 30 per cent in tonnage of British ships as compared with April.

He announced the government's intention of appointing an additional

Claude Vandiver Writes From France

Says Expects to Be Home Next Summer. In No Immediate Danger.

Claude Vandiver, with the United States engineering corps, somewhere in France, writes to his mother, Mrs. J. W. Vandiver, of Decatur, a very encouraging letter. The letter follows:

"Mother, I wish I could tell you just where I am and what I am doing, but the censor says I can't write that; so I will have to wait until my return and then we can sit for hours and talk of where I have been and what I saw.

"So glad to know you are a member of the Red Cross. When they ask you where I am and how is he, tell them with pride, he is with Uncle Sam's forces somewhere in France. I enlisted before registration day, didn't want to be commanded to go. Just only a volunteer. Do hope you have received the letter telling of my being in London.

Regarding your thoughts of me: Mother, let me ask you not to worry, as I am in no immediate danger and won't be for sometime yet.

Anything from home is most acceptable and greatly appreciated by all the boys. There are especially two things we can't get much of, and that is reading-matter and tobacco and cigarettes.

Now it is 1:30 p. m. there and 8:15 p. m. here. You will note seven hours difference in time. I hope and firmly believe that next summer I will be with you at home, and I am figuring on a vacation.

CLAUD.

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MR. AND MRS. W. L. DANIEL.

civil lord of the admiralty and said the attention of the first sea lord would be devoted wholly to naval staff matters.

Standard ships aggregating 1,000,000 tons had been arranged for, he said, and more than half of them were under construction.

The total net reduction of British tonnage since the beginning of the war was given by Sir Eric as 2,500,000 tons.

Italians to Hold The Hun Hordes

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war will never end until they are restored."

The Real Stand.

Mr. Marchini, while making no pretenses to being a military critic, expressed the belief that Gen. Cardona would not make his real stand at the Tagliamento river. Cardona will fight at the Tagliamento, he predicted, but with the idea merely of harassing the enemy. He will then fall back on the stronger and better fortified Piave river line running across to Venice and 10 miles north of that city. There he will turn back the tide of invasion.

"Cardona is a great strategist," he said. "He has retreated before the enemy to save his army, which must have been surprised by the suddenness of the German move. But for the masterly way in which this retreat was conducted, the Teutons would have driven a wedge through the Italian line at two points and attacked it from front and rear. This has been prevented."

A Long Way to France.

There is no probability, whatever, that the German invasion will ever penetrate French soil, Mr. Marchini stated. Line after line, with innumerable fortified cities and an abundance of military railways are a barrier that makes this impossible. Only a small part of northern Italy, a land of 35,000,000 people, has as yet been overrun. This was not defensible against a superior force for the reason that Bismarck in drawing the treaty that brought peace to Italy and Austria had given the latter country possession of the mountain approaches. It is to pay off this grudge and to regain her former territory that Italy will sacrifice her last man if necessary, says this loyal American, who has two brothers and three brothers-in-law now battling amid the snows of the Alpine passes.

Thousands Paid By Local Dealers

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the government holding that the prices they charge will be regulated by competition. If the opposite proves to be true, then they, too, will be regulated.

MINERS MUST WORK
OR QUIT THE UNION.
(International News Service.)
Bellaire, Ohio, Nov. 2.—"Return to work or lose your union cards," officials of the United Mine Workers of America told striking miners here today.

6,000 MINERS OUT.
(International News Service.)
Pittsburgh, Kansas, Nov. 2.—Six thousand coal miners are out today in this field and more are going out hourly. The return of the miners depends on the result of the conference today in Washington.

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